

103D CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 616

AMENDMENTS

In the House of Representatives, U. S.,

November 2, 1993.

Resolved, That the bill from the Senate (S. 616) entitled “An Act to increase the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans”, do pass with the following

AMENDMENTS:

Strike out all after the enacting clause, and insert:

1 ***SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; REFERENCES TO TITLE 38,***

2 ***UNITED STATES CODE.***

3 *(a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the “Vet-*
4 *erans’ Compensation Rates Amendments of 1993”.*

5 *(b) REFERENCES.—Except as otherwise expressly pro-*
6 *vided, whenever in this Act an amendment or repeal is ex-*
7 *pressed in terms of an amendment to, or repeal of, a section*
8 *or other provision, the reference shall be considered to be*
9 *made to a section or other provision of title 38, United*
10 *States Code.*

11 ***SEC. 2. DISABILITY COMPENSATION.***

12 *Section 1114 is amended—*

13 *(1) by striking out “\$85” in subsection (a) and*
14 *inserting in lieu thereof “\$87”;*

1 (2) by striking out “\$162” in subsection (b) and
2 inserting in lieu thereof “\$166”;

3 (3) by striking out “\$247” in subsection (c) and
4 inserting in lieu thereof “\$253”;

5 (4) by striking out “\$352” in subsection (d) and
6 inserting in lieu thereof “\$361”;

7 (5) by striking out “\$502” in subsection (e) and
8 inserting in lieu thereof “\$515”;

9 (6) by striking out “\$632” in subsection (f) and
10 inserting in lieu thereof “\$648”;

11 (7) by striking out “\$799” in subsection (g) and
12 inserting in lieu thereof “\$819”;

13 (8) by striking out “\$924” in subsection (h) and
14 inserting in lieu thereof “\$948”;

15 (9) by striking out “\$1,040” in subsection (i)
16 and inserting in lieu thereof “\$1,067”;

17 (10) by striking out “\$1,730” in subsection (j)
18 and inserting in lieu thereof “\$1,774”;

19 (11) by striking out “\$2,152” and “\$3,015” in
20 subsection (k) and inserting in lieu thereof “\$2,207”
21 and “\$3,093”, respectively;

22 (12) by striking out “\$2,152” in subsection (l)
23 and inserting in lieu thereof “\$2,207”;

24 (13) by striking out “\$2,371” in subsection (m)
25 and inserting in lieu thereof “\$2,432”;

1 (14) by striking out “\$2,698” in subsection (n)
2 and inserting in lieu thereof “\$2,768”;

3 (15) by striking out “\$3,015” each place it ap-
4 pears in subsections (o) and (p) and inserting in lieu
5 thereof “\$3,093”;

6 (16) by striking out “\$1,295” and “\$1,928” in
7 subsection (r) and inserting in lieu thereof “\$1,328”
8 and “\$1,978”, respectively; and

9 (17) by striking out “\$1,935” in subsection (s)
10 and inserting in lieu thereof “\$1,985”.

11 **SEC. 3. ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR DEPENDENTS.**

12 Section 1115(1) is amended—

13 (1) by striking out “\$103” in clause (A) and in-
14 serting in lieu thereof “\$105”;

15 (2) by striking out “\$174” and “\$54” in clause
16 (B) and inserting in lieu thereof “\$178” and “\$55”,
17 respectively;

18 (3) by striking out “\$71” and “\$54” in clause
19 (C) and inserting in lieu thereof “\$72” and “\$55”,
20 respectively;

21 (4) by striking out “\$82” in clause (D) and in-
22 serting in lieu thereof “\$84”;

23 (5) by striking out “\$191” in clause (E) and in-
24 serting in lieu thereof “\$195”; and

(6) by striking out “\$160” in clause (F) and inserting in lieu thereof “\$164”.

SEC. 4. CLOTHING ALLOWANCE FOR CERTAIN DISABLED VETERANS.

Section 1162 is amended by striking out \$466” and inserting in lieu thereof “\$478”.

SEC. 5. DEPENDENCY AND INDEMNITY COMPENSATION FOR SURVIVING SPOUSES.

Section 1311 is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)(1), by striking out “\$750” and inserting in lieu thereof “\$769”;

(2) in subsection (a)(2), by striking out “\$165” and inserting in lieu thereof “\$169”;

(3) in subsection (a)(3), by striking out the table therein and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

“Pay grade	Monthly rate	Pay grade	Monthly rate
E-7	\$794	O-3	\$897
E-8	838	O-4	948
E-9	¹ 875	O-5	1,044
W-1	812	O-6	1,177
W-2	844	O-7	1,271
W-3	869	O-8	1,392
W-4	920	O-9	1,492
O-1	812	O-10	² 1,636
O-2	838

¹ If the veteran served as sergeant major of the Army, senior enlisted advisor of the Navy, chief master sergeant of the Air Force, sergeant major of the Marine Corps, or master chief petty officer of the Coast Guard, at the applicable time designated by section 1302 of this title, the surviving spouse’s rate shall be \$943.

² If the veteran served as Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, Chief of Staff of the Army, Chief of Naval Operations, Chief of Staff of the Air Force, Commandant of the Marine Corps, or Commandant of the Coast Guard, at the applicable time designated by section 1302 of this title, the surviving spouse’s rate shall be \$1,753.”;

(4) in subsection (c), by striking out “\$191” and inserting in lieu thereof “\$195”; and

1 (5) in subsection (d), by striking out “\$93” and
 2 inserting in lieu thereof “\$95”.

3 **SEC. 6. DEPENDENCY AND INDEMNITY COMPENSATION FOR**
 4 **CHILDREN.**

5 (a) *DIC FOR ORPHAN CHILDREN.*—Section 1313(a) is
 6 amended—

7 (1) by striking out “\$319” in clause (1) and in-
 8 serting in lieu thereof “\$327”;

9 (2) by striking out “\$460” in clause (2) and in-
 10 serting in lieu thereof “\$471”;

11 (3) by striking out “\$595” in clause (3) and in-
 12 serting in lieu thereof “\$610”; and

13 (4) by striking out “\$595” and “\$117” in clause
 14 (4) and inserting in lieu thereof “\$610” and “\$120”,
 15 respectively.

16 (b) *SUPPLEMENTAL DIC FOR DISABLED ADULT CHIL-*
 17 *DREN.*—Section 1314 is amended—

18 (1) by striking out “\$191” in subsection (a) and
 19 inserting in lieu thereof “\$195”;

20 (2) by striking out “\$319” in subsection (b) and
 21 inserting in lieu thereof “\$327”; and

22 (3) by striking out “\$162” in subsection (c) and
 23 inserting in lieu thereof “\$166”.

1 ***SEC. 7. EFFECTIVE DATE.***

2 *The amendments made by this Act shall take effect on*
3 *December 1, 1993.*

Amend the title so as to read: “An Act to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a cost-of-living adjustment in the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of such veterans.”.

Attest:

Clerk.